

Shauna Ringel – Centennial Discussion:

Shauna gave a list of events planned for Madison County’s Centennial and encouraged all to get involved. Lively events are planned from February through November. The Committee is encouraging community church groups to do floats and make the Independence Day Parade a big event and not so commercialized. Commissioner Ricks stated if anyone wants to be part of the committee, they can come to the meeting on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Commissioner’s Room.

Commissioner Weber – Presentation/Building Functional Teams:

Commissioner Weber recapped a presentation that was given at the IAC conference on qualities of effective teams. Teams with vision, function and civility and include trust, dialogue, commitment, accountability, and collective results.

Commissioner Ricks reported that the City and County have formed a citizens group to look at the possibility of a Recreation District within the County. The Commissioners have not endorsed the district, but have agreed to research and look into it further. It will not replace our Parks and Recreation Department.

Dorothy and Steve Bowen were mentioned so that departments know that they are available for grant consulting and writing.

Talsan Schulzke from the City reported on the new voter precinct mapping; showing citizens where they vote and which precinct they are in. This new data will be attached to the website. GIS is also working on contracts for computer licensing.

Commissioner Weber made a motion to adjourn at 10:00 a.m. Commissioner Ricks seconded and voting was unanimous.

Approved:

Kimber Ricks, Commission Chairman
Jon Weber, Commissioner
Todd Smith, Commissioner